

Some Days You're the Pigeon...Some Days the Statue

Words Matter

Words impact relationships.
Relationships impact culture.
Culture impacts results.



How Do We Do It?

- * Words
- * Actions
- * Attitudes

We have become a society of stone throwers and stick slingers.

Koinonia

The coming together in a solidified oneness in an atmosphere of openness, honesty, trust, affirmation, support, and encouragement.

It's not just about the destination it's about the trip.

The 7 Me's I Am



Key: The quality of our relationships, culture and results hinge upon understanding the 7 Me's.

- 1.The Me I think I am
- 2.The Me others see.

Filters - our own unique set of life experiences that cause us to see things differently.

Can an individual have a "faulty" filter? **Yes** or ~~No~~



Key: At times, I will need to modify my behavior to help another.

- 3.The Me I used to be.

Anger
Resentment
Bitterness } Cancers of the soul.



We must learn how to forgive.

The 6 Most Powerful Words — I'm sorry will you forgive me

4. The Me I want to be.



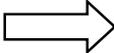
Key: To the degree you give this me clarity, that is the degree to which you can become it.

5. The Me I really am.

6. The Me others try to make me.

7. The Me I try to project.

When we hurt others, we build barriers of separateness.

Relationships ≠ explode  erode.

Our words can crush and kill the spirit of a *(so many ways to end this sentence: marriage; family...)*
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The strongest muscle in the human body is the tongue.

*"Words of life and words of death
are in the power of the tongue.
Those who love it will eat its fruit."
King Solomon*

Look for ways to praise.

Frog Kisser or Frog Gigger
The Choice is yours.



Key: Words of life or Words of death.



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